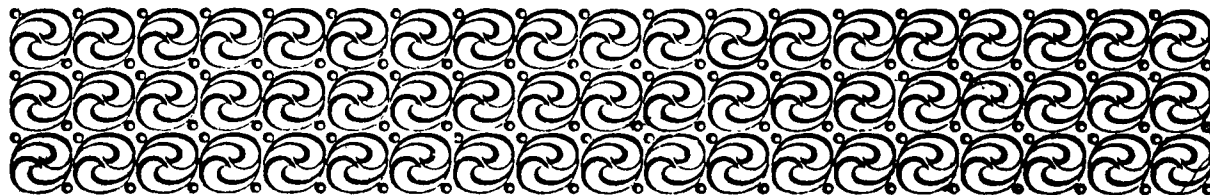


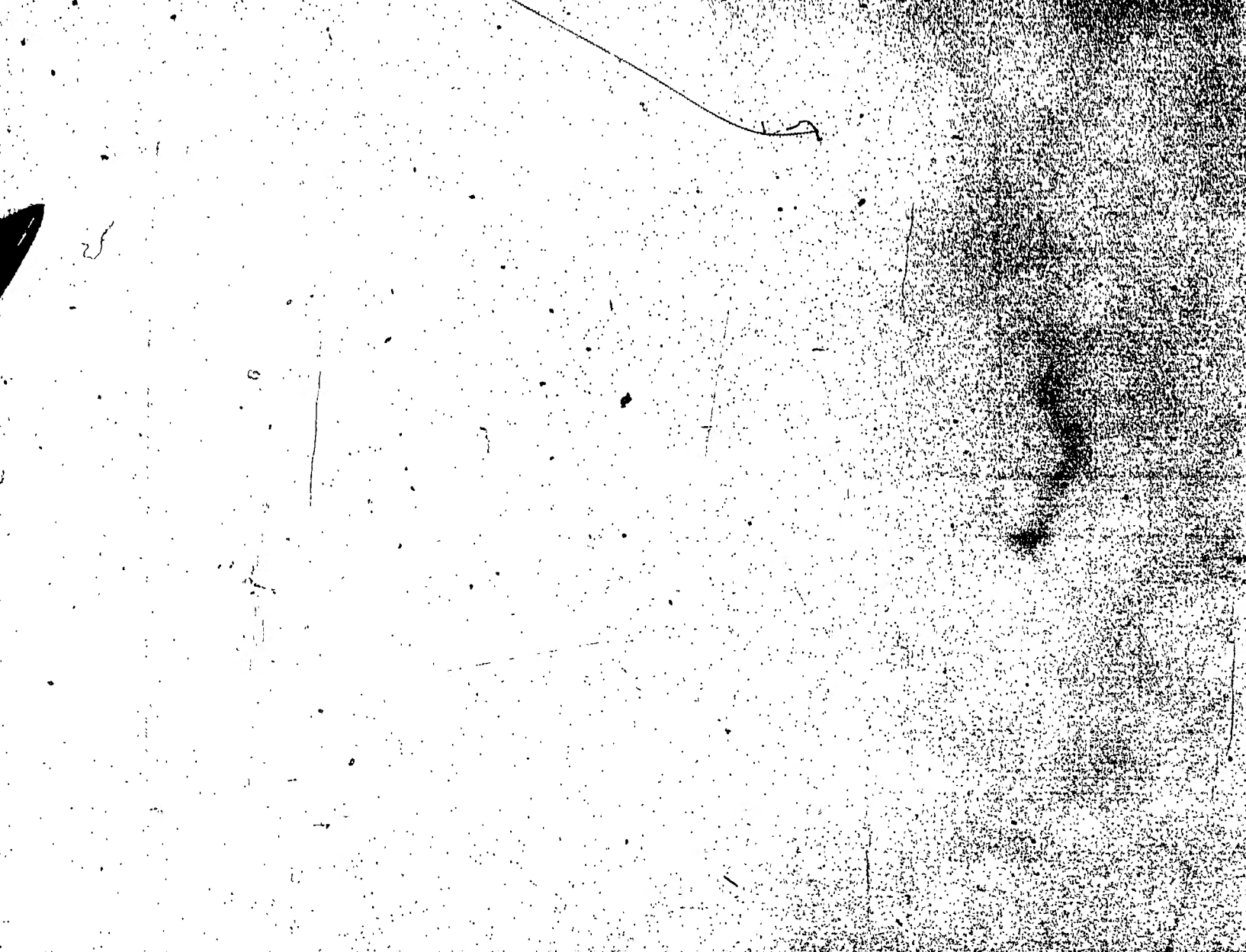
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THE FIRST CABINET AND THE LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR OF THE PROVINCE OF ALBERTA.



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Provincial Secretary.
HON. W. H. CUSHING,
Minister of Public Works.

HON. A. C. RUTHERFORD,
Premier,
Minister of Education,
Provincial Treasurer.

HON. G. H. V. BULYEA,
Lieutenant-Governor,

HON. C. W. CROSS,
Attorney-General
HON. L. G. DEVERER,
Minister without Portfolio.



His Excellency the Governor-General delivering the inaugural address, Edmonton, Sept. 1st, 1905. This opened the inauguration ceremony.
Figuring from left to right are to be seen Old Timers, Hon. Wm. Patterson, Sir Wilfrid Laurier, aides de camp to Governor-General Earl Grey, Lady Laurier, distinguished visitors and aldermen, escort of 200 R.N.W. mounted police in rear.



The reading of the proclamation creating Alberta a province, and appointing Hon. G. H. V. Bulyea
Lieutenant-Governor thereof.



SIR WILFRID LAURIER CALLING FOR "THREE CHEERS FOR ALBERTA."



Hon. G. H. V. Bulyen's speech immediately after having been sworn in as Lieutenant-Governor of the New Province of Alberta.



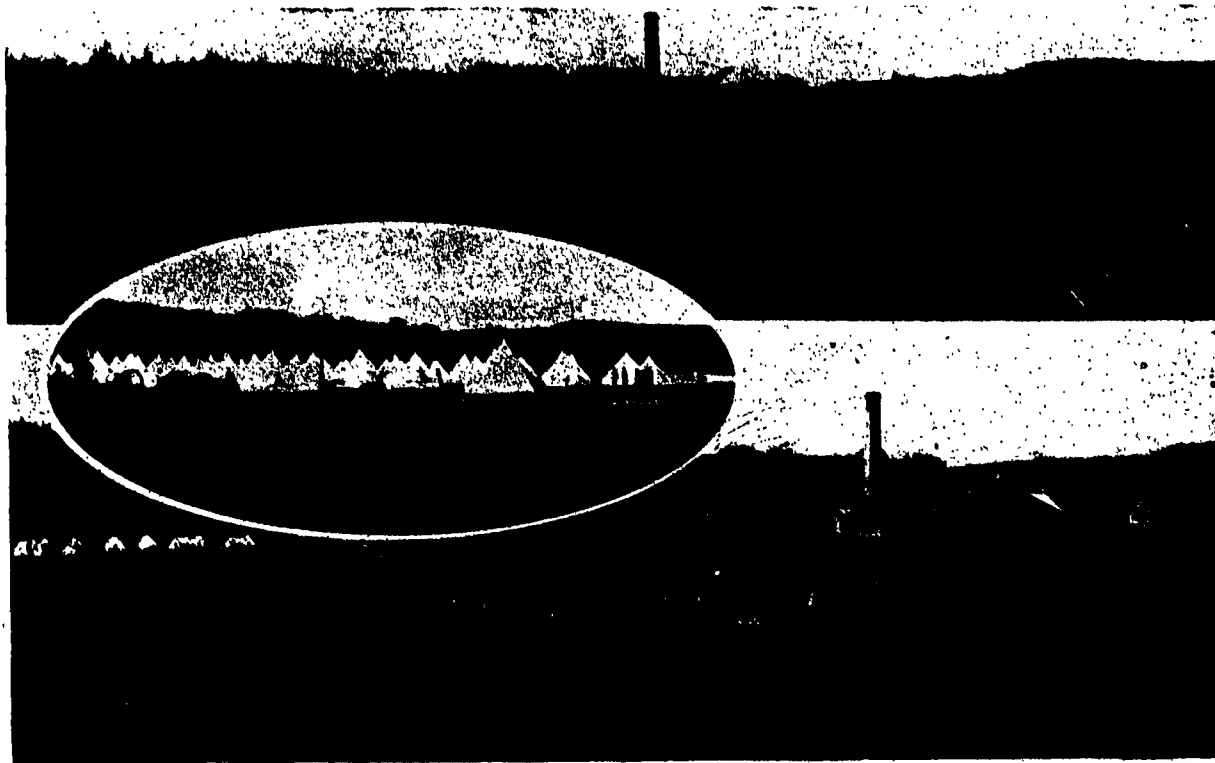
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Leading to Agricultural Park where the inaugural ceremony took place.

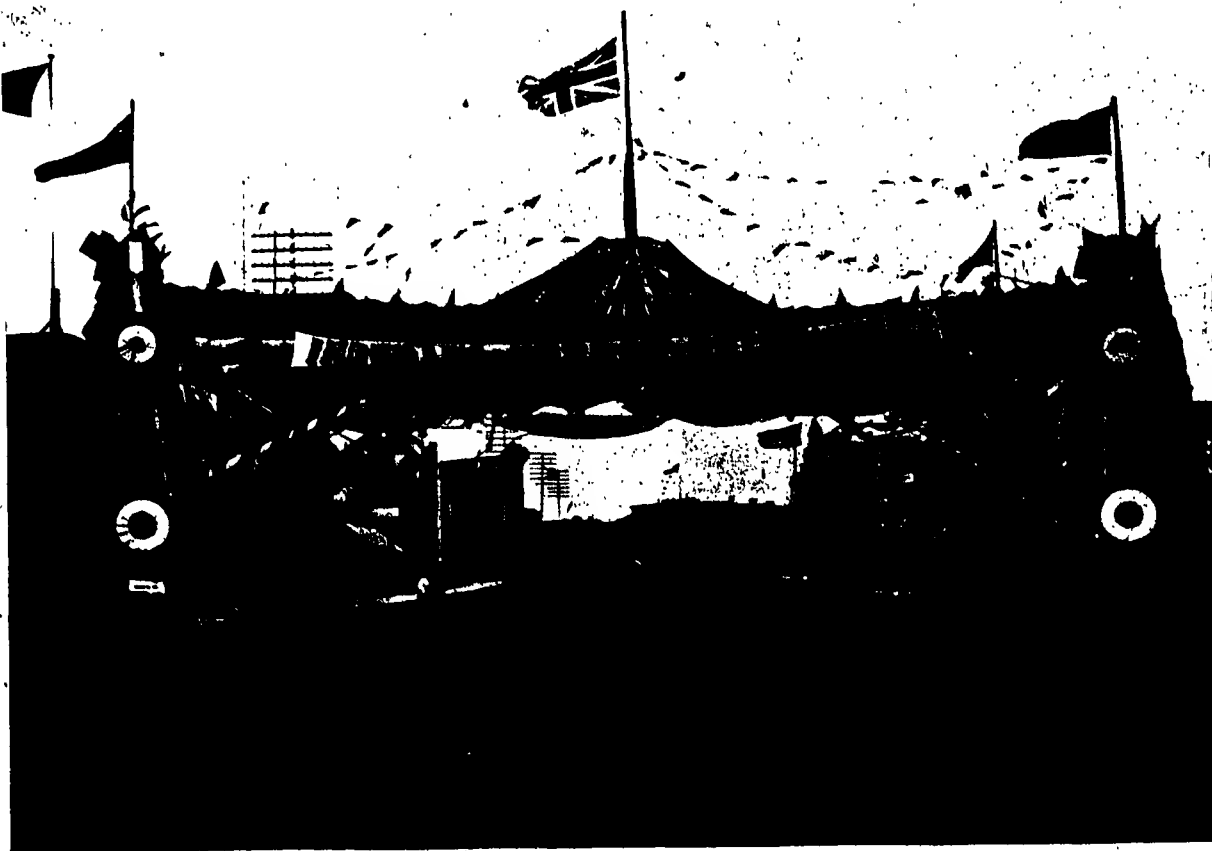


VIEW SHOWING PART OF THE 2,000 SCHOOL CHILDREN.

These with their singing of many patriotic songs, and their cheering as they marched, added a most joyous touch to an already gala occasion.



R. N. W. MOUNTED POLICE AT INAUGURAL CELEBRATION
Nos. 1 and 2, on parade. No. 3. General view of camp.



CENTRAL TRIUMPHAL ARCH, WITH A GLIMPSE OF MAIN STREET EAST.



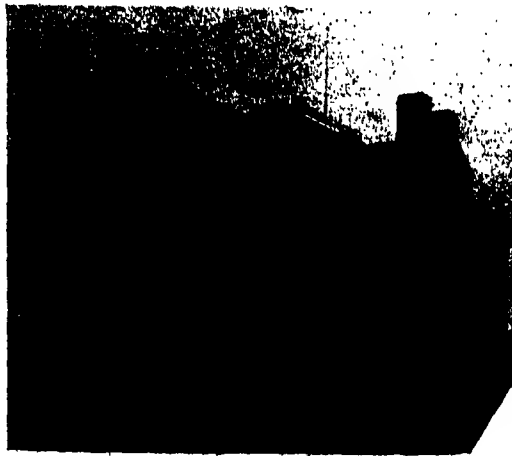
VIEW OF MAIN STREET, LOOKING WEST.

Large building on the right is the Empire Block, in which the Government Offices are situated.



ALBERTA COLLEGE.

This building, magnificently furnished, was used for the reception of all guests during the inauguration.



McKay Ave. Public School.



High School.
Queen's Avenue Public School.

REPRESENTATIVE EDUCATIONAL
INSTITUTIONS OF THE
CAPITAL.



REPRESENTATIVE CHURCHES.

Baptist Church.

Presbyterian Church.

Roman Catholic Church.

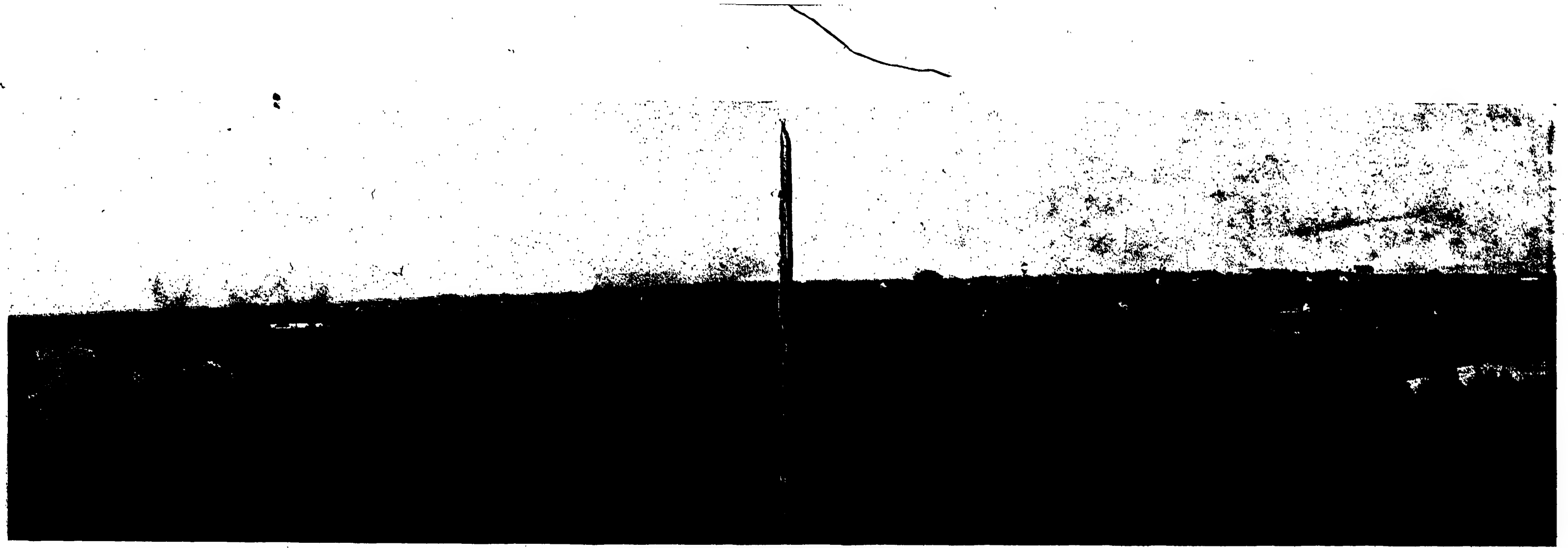


Bank of Montreal.



Bank of Commerce.

REPRESENTATIVE BANKING INSTITUTIONS.



PANORAMIC VIEW OF THE CITY OF EDMONTON.
(Provisional) CAPITAL OF ALBERTA.

From left to right the main objects of interest are a glimpse of the Saskatchewan River, Electric Light and Water Pumping Station, Old Hudson Bay Fort, New Maternity Hospital, R. C. Church, McKay Ave. Public School, High Pressure Water Tank, Presbyterian Church, Rivellon's Store, the Empire Block peeping over the Alberta College, Methodist Church, High School, Alberta Hotel, Edmonton Hotel, Dowlin Mill, and Saskatchewan River again in the right foreground.



SHOWING THE FAITH IN EDMONTON OF THE OLDEST TRADERS.
The Hudson's Bay Company's Store.



SCENE AT EDMONTON SUMMER FAIR.



RAFTING LUMBER AND LOGS FOR DOWN RIVER RAILWAY BRIDGES.
Showing traffic, foot and railway bridge over the Saskatchewan River. The first bridge to cross the North Saskatchewan.



AT THE MOUTH OF A COAL MINE AT EDMONTON.

This is merely suggestive of Alberta's mineral wealth.



SUGGESTIVE OF CLIMATIC POSSIBILITIES OF NORTHERN ALBERTA.

Actual view of apple tree (Longfield variety), with true, though most peculiar, position of fruit on the branches. This is but the beginning of great things along this line in Alberta. Tree on T. Daly's Farm, Clover Bar (near Edmonton).



ALBERTA WILD ROSES.

A drive out of Edmonton in July is made most delightful, passing as one must, by banks upon banks of these beauties, of the most beautiful hues, standing out in marked contrast to the vivid green, which characterizes all of Northern Alberta's plant growth.



FARM SCENE NEAR EDMONTON.

This field of 40 acres of oats went 85 bushels to the acre, of the very choicest milling oats,
and each bushel was far beyond the standard weight.



IN ALBERTA WHÉAT.

This year thousands of acres of wheat have been reaped in the Edmonton District.



DESERTED.

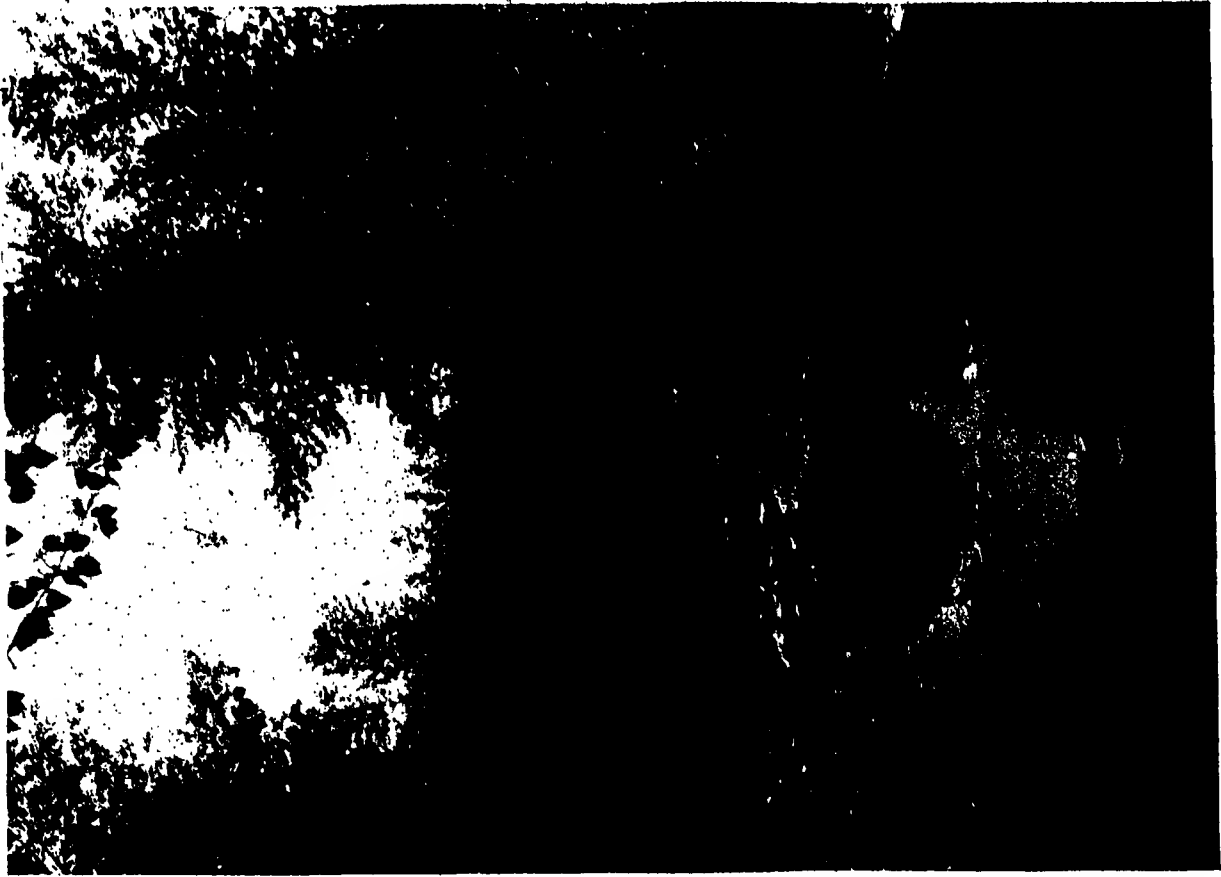
A settler's home of years ago, having given place to a more modern structure.



A WOODLAND PATH.



One of the many beautiful trails in and about Edmonton that are rapidly being displaced with regular streets and effaced by home builders.

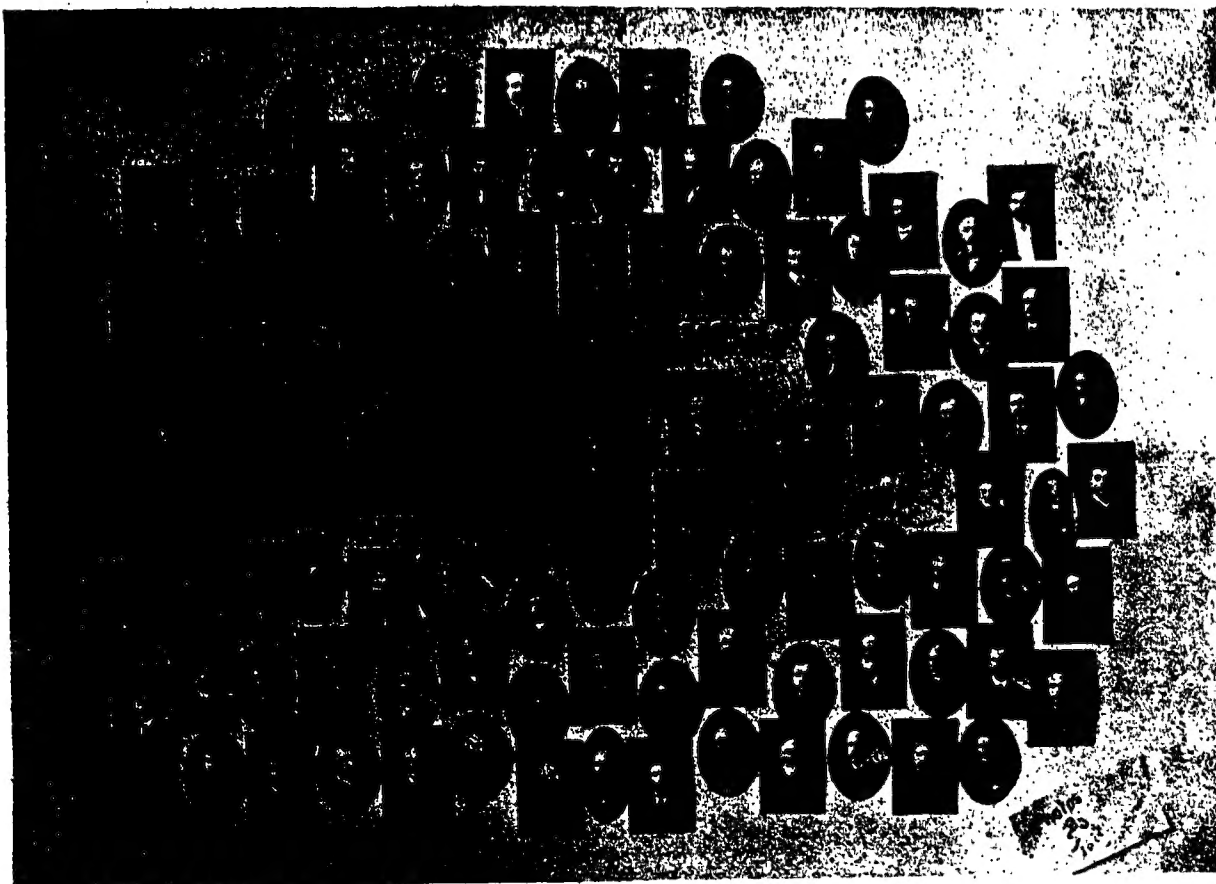


NOON QUIETUDE.
A view on Mill Creek, near the river.

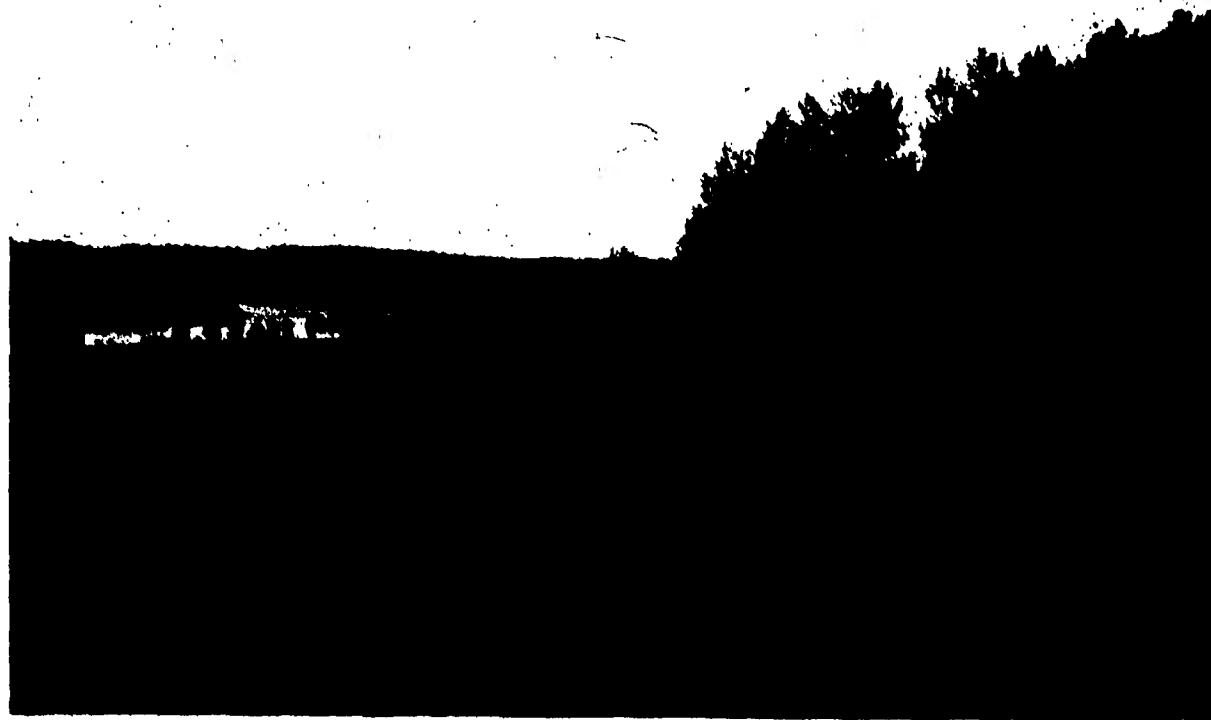
KEY TO OLD-TIMERS' GROUP.

TOGETHER WITH THE DATE OF THEIR COMING TO THIS
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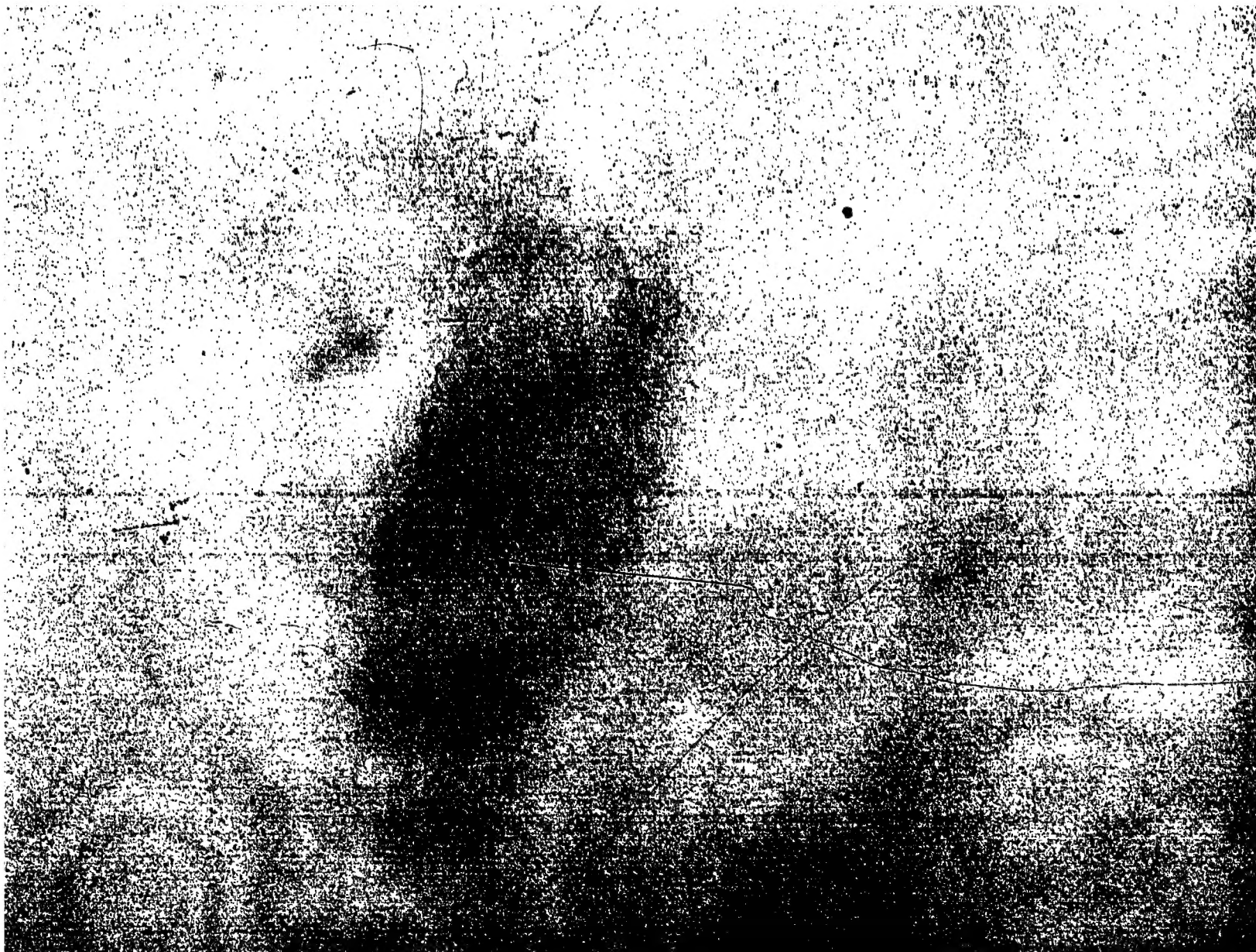
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17. K. A. McLeod, '81.
18. Jno. Norris, '49.
19. Mr. Lauder, '81.
20. Jno. R. Brentin, '82.
21. J. K. Long, '87.
22. Wm. Humberstone, '80.
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24. Mr. Kirkness.
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26. Rd. Secord.
27. A. McNicholl, '77.
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30. W. B. Stennett, '80.
31. Jno. Fielders, '80.
32. Jno. Looby.
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37. St. Geo. Jellett.
38. Geo. Roy, '85.
39. Dr. H. C. Wilson, '82.
40. Geo. Gagnon, '73.
41. Oct. Mageau, '67.
42. S. Larue, '83.
43. B. J. Saunders, '82.
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95. F. Osborne, '82.
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97. Geo. Long.
98. W. R. West, '81.
99. Harry Gooderidge, '74.
100. D. R. Fraser.
101. Daniel Noyes.
102. Mathew McCaulay, '79.



Representatives of the real makers of this country's advancement. Thanks to the start these old timers have given things, this Northern Alberta of our's has a splendid showing to make for itself.



VIEW ALONG ONE OF EDMONTON'S BEAUTIFUL DRIVES.



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